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08-22-2017

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Agenda Item

BILL 70

Your position on the

matter

Support

Representing

Self

Organization

Do you wish to speak

at the hearing?

No

- I strongly support Bill 70, which would prohibit smoking and vaping in a motor vehicle when a minor is present on O'ahu.
- Secondhand smoke in a car can be up to ten times more toxic than what the EPA considers unhealthy air quality, even when a window is down.
- Inhaling secondhand smoke is especially harmful because children's lungs are still developing.

Written Testimony

- Passing smoke-free cars into law will help decrease our children's exposure to secondhand smoke and educate parents and other adults about the dangers of smoking in a car when a minor is present.
- I respectfully ask that you pass Bill 70 to help make Honolulu the third county in Hawai'i (joining the Big Island and Kaua'i) to eliminate smoking in cars when a minor is present.

Testimony Attachment

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